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Chapter II

ATTENDANCE AND ORGANIZATION OF WORK

A. Date and place of the Summit

1. The World Summit for Social Development was held at Copenhagen from 6 to 12 March 1995, in conformity with General Assembly resolution 47/92 of 16 December 1992. During that period, the Summit held .. plenary meetings.

B. Attendance

2. The following States and regional economic integration organization were represented at the Summit:

Afghanistan
Albania
Algeria
Andorra
Angola
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Armenia
Australia
Azerbaijan
Bahamas
Bahrain
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Belize
Benin
Bhutan
Bolivia
Bosnia and Herzegovina
Botswana
Brazil
Brunei Darussalam
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Burundi
Cambodia
Cameroon
Canada
Cape Verde
Central African Republic
Chad
Chile
China
Colombia

Congo
Cook Islands
Costa Rica
Côte d'Ivoire
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Democratic People's Republic of Korea
Denmark
Djibouti
Dominica
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Equatorial Guinea
Eritrea
Estonia
Ethiopia
European Community
Fiji
Finland
France
Gabon
Gambia
Georgia
Germany
Ghana
Greece
Guatemala
Guinea
Guinea-Bissau
Guyana
Haiti
Holy See
Honduras
Hungary
Iceland
India
Indonesia
Iran (Islamic Republic of)
Iraq
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Jamaica
Japan
Kuwait
Kyrgyzstan
Lao People's Democratic Republic
Latvia
Lebanon
Lesotho
Liberia
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya
Liechtenstein
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Madagascar
Malawi
Maldives
Mali
Malta
Marshall Islands
Mauritania
Mauritius
Mexico
Micronesia (Federated States of)
Monaco
Mongolia
Morocco
Mozambique
Myanmar
Namibia
Nepal
Netherlands
New Zealand
Nicaragua
Niger
Nigeria
Niue
Norway
Oman
Pakistan
Panama
Papua New Guinea
Paraguay
Peru
Philippines
Poland
Portugal
Qatar
Republic of Korea
Republic of Moldova

Jordan
Kazakhstan
Kenya

Saint Lucia
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
San Marino
Sao Tome and Principe
Saudi Arabia
Senegal
Seychelles
Sierra Leone
Singapore
Slovakia
Slovenia
Solomon Islands
South Africa
Spain
Sri Lanka
Sudan
Suriname
Swaziland
Sweden
Syrian Arab Republic
Tajikistan
Thailand

Romania
Russian Federation
Rwanda
Saint Kitts and Nevis
The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
Togo
Tonga
Trinidad and Tobago
Tunisia
Turkey
Turkmenistan
Uganda
Ukraine
United Arab Emirates
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
United Republic of Tanzania
United States of America
Uruguay
Uzbekistan
Vanuatu
Venezuela
Viet Nam
Yemen
Zaire
Zambia
Zimbabwe

3. The observer for Palestine attended the Summit.

4. The following associate members of the regional commissions were represented by observers:

Macau
Netherlands Antilles

5. The following United Nations bodies and programmes were represented:

United Nations Children's Fund
United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
United Nations Development Fund for Women
United Nations Development Programme
United Nations Environment Programme
United Nations Population Fund
United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees
United Nations University
World Food Programme

United Nations Centre for Human Settlements (Habitat)
United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, Office of the
United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, Office of the
United Nations International Drug Control Programme
International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women
United Nations Research Institute for Social Development

6. The following specialized agencies were represented:

International Labour Organization
Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
World Health Organization
World Bank
International Monetary Fund
World Meteorological Organization
World Intellectual Property Organization
International Fund for Agricultural Development
United Nations Industrial Development Organization

7. The following intergovernmental organizations were represented:

African, Caribbean and Pacific Group of States
African Development Bank
Andean Parliament
Arab Fund for Economic and Social Development
Asian-African Legal Consultative Committee
Asian Development Bank
Asian Forum of Parliamentarians on Population and Development
Commonwealth of Independent States
Commonwealth Secretariat
Council of Europe
Gulf Cooperation Council
Inter-American Development Bank
International Committee of the Red Cross
International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies
International Food Policy Research Institute
International Organization for Migration
Islamic Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
Latin American Economic System
Latin American Parliament
League of Arab States
Nordic Council Secretariat of the Presidium
Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development
Organization of African Unity
Organization of American States
Organization of Eastern Caribbean States

Organization of the Islamic Conference
South Pacific Commission

8. A large number of non-governmental organizations attended the Summit. The list of non-governmental organizations participating is given in documents A/CONF.166/PC/11 and Add. 1-3 and A/CONF.166/4.

C. Opening of the Summit and election of the President

9. The Summit was declared open by the Secretary-General of the United Nations. The Secretary-General then addressed the Summit.

10. At the 1st plenary meeting, on 6 March, the Summit elected, by acclamation, as President of the Summit, His Excellency Mr. Poul Nyrup Rasmussen, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Denmark. The President of the Summit made a statement.

D. Messages from heads of State

11. The Summit received a message wishing it success from His Excellency Mr. José Eduardo dos Santos, President of the Repulic of Angola.

E. Adoption of the rules of procedure

12. At the 1st plenary meeting, on 6 March, the Summit adopted the provisional rules of procedure (A/CONF.166/2) as recommended by the Preparatory Committee for the Summit and approved by the General Assembly in its decision 49/446 of 23 December 1994.

F. Adoption of the agenda

13. At the 1st plenary meeting, on 6 March, the Summit adopted as its agenda the provisional agenda (A/CONF.166/1) recommended by the Preparatory Committee in its decision 3/3. The agenda as adopted was as follows:

1. Inaugural ceremony.

2. Election of the President.

3. Adoption of the rules of procedure.

4. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.

5. Election of officers other than the President.

6. Organization of work, including establishment of the Main Committee.

7. Credentials of representatives to the Summit:

   (a) Appointment of the members of the Credentials Committee;

   (b) Report of the Credentials Committee.

8. General exchange of views.

9. Meeting of heads of State or Government.

10. Declaration and Programme of Action of the World Summit for Social Development

11. Adoption of the report of the Summit.

G. Election of officers other than the President

14. At the 1st plenary meeting, on 6 March, the Summit elected Vice-Presidents from the following regional groups:

African States (7 Vice-Presidents): Algeria, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Ethiopia, Guinea-Bissau, Sudan and Zimbabwe;

Eastern European States (3 Vice-Presidents): Latvia, Slovakia and Ukraine;

Latin American and Caribbean Group (5 Vice-Presidents): Belize, Chile, Cuba, Panama and Paraguay;

Western European and other States (6 Vice-Presidents): Andorra, Australia, Canada, Germany, Portugal and Sweden.

15. At the same meeting, the Summit elected, by acclamation, an ex officio Vice-President from the host country, His Excellency Mr. Poul Nielson, Minister for Development Cooperation of the Kingdom of Denmark.

16. Also at the 1st meeting, the Summit elected Mr. Juan Somavia (Chile) Chairman of the Main Committee.

16. At the same meeting, the Summit elected Mr. Sadok Rabah (Tunisia), Rapporteur-General of the Summit.

18. At the 7th meeting, on 9 March, the Summit elected six Vice-Presidents from the Asian States: China, India, Indonesia, Philippines, Qatar and Republic of Korea.

H. Organization of work, including establishment of the Main Committee

19. At the 1st plenary meeting, on 6 March, the Summit, approved the organization of work as contained in document A/CONF.166/3, and as orally amended.

I. Accreditation of intergovernmental organizations

20. At the 1st plenary meeting, on 6 March, the Summit approved the accreditation of the intergovernmental organizations listed in document A/CONF.166/6.

J. Accreditation of non-governmental organizations

21. At the 1st plenary meeting, on 6 March, the Summit approved the accreditation of the non-governmental organizations listed in document A/CONF.166/4.

K. Appointment of the members of the Credentials Committee

22. At the 1st plenary meeting, on 6 March, in conformity with rule 4 of the rules of procedure of the Summit (A/CONF.166/2), the Summit established a Credentials Committee composed of China, Fiji, Honduras, Namibia, Portugal, the Russian Federation, Suriname, Togo and the United States of America, on the understanding that if one of those States did not participate in the Summit, it would be replaced by another State from the same regional group.